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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Toyoaki, NAMBA et al.  
Serial No.: 09/127,067 Examiner: Patrick H. Mackey  
Filed: July 31, 1998 Art Unit: 3651  
For: SHEET POST-PROCESSING DEVICE  
Customer No.: 29540

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of February 25, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows. A request for a one month extension of time and fee are also enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on June 25, 2009

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Attorney

Signature

June 25, 2009

Date of Signature

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 50-1145, Order No. 503110.083738